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Enclosed in duplicate is PTO-1449 listing the following art cited by Applicants.

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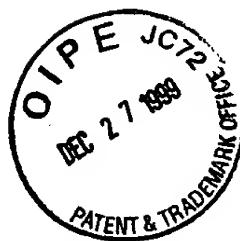
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